

November 2, 1942.

Rev. F.M. Hayashi
32-1-C
Minidoka WRA Project
Hunt, Idaho.

Dear Mr. Hayashi:

I am sending today one book for each who has made requests. Other requests will be filled, as soon as the borrowers have read and returned these books.

The loan is for two weeks with permission to renew for an additional two weeks if necessary, but please remind borrowers that there are many requests for so few books that I am trying to keep down longer periods as much as possible.

Please remind Revs. Kodaira, Fukuyama, and Sakuma, that for the time being they will be responsible for postage both ways for their books, which, however, only amounts to 3¢ apiece.

Thanking you for your invaluable help to me I am

Yours very sincerely,

Stillson Judah, Librarian.

32-1-C, Minidoka WRA Project,
Hunt, Idaho,
October 28, 1942.

Mr. Stillson Judah, Librarian,
Pacific School of Religion,
1798 Scenic Avenue,
Berkeley, California.

Dear Mr. Judah:

We are very grateful for your kind offer of the books from the Holbrook Loan Library. I have contacted all the Japanese ministers of this project, and they wish to take advantage of your offer. I shall be very glad to be responsible for those books which will be issued to us. The following is the list of the books they wish to borrow at this time:

1 book each from their preferences--

Rev. N. Kodaira (Presbyterian--Pacific School of Religion graduate)

1. Kepler. Contemporary Religious Thought. 1941
2. Swenson. Something About Kierkegaard. 1941

Rev. Tsutomu Fukuyama (Baptist)

1. Groves. Christianity and the Family. 1942
2. Richardson. The Miracle-Stories of the Gospel. 1941
3. Montizambert. The Thought of St. Paul. 1941
4. Swenson. Something about Kierkegaard. 1941

Rev. H. T. Sakuma (Holiness)

1. Stamm. In the Shadow of the Cross. 1941
2. Larrison. Saints at Prayer. 1942
3. Van Kirk. Religion and the World of Tomorrow. 1941

Rev. T. J. Machida (Methodist)

1. Coleman. Faith Under Fire. 1942
2. MacFarland. A Digest of Christian Thinking. 1941
3. Tigner. No Sign Shall Be Given. 1942

Rev. Francis M. Hayashi (Methodist)

1. Fosdick. Living Under Tension. 1941
2. Seidenspinner. Form and Freedom in Worship. 1941
3. Buttrick. Prayer. 1942

I also indicate our preferences for the religious periodicals:

1. The Christian Century, 2. Missionary Review of the World,
3. Clear Horizon, and 4. The Religious Digest.

Thanking you for your sincere interests in us, I am

Yours very truly,

Francis M. Hayashi

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October 6, 1942.

Rev. F. M. Hayashi
Minidoka Project
32-11-C-Hunt, Idaho

Dear Mr. Hayashi:

The Pacific School of Religion through the Charles Holbrook Library is now offering a free library-loan service by mail of a large number of select current religious books, a list of which I am herewith enclosing.

Dr. Frank Herron Smith has referred me to you as a minister who might be willing to be a contact between our library and the other California ministers there in your camp, to communicate to me books wanted by the same. When this is made known to me I will send the books in your care. You then will distribute these to those who requested them, and be responsible for seeing that the books are mailed back to the library.

Funds have been raised by the Congregationalists, the Disciples of Christ, and the Methodists, of California, in order to purchase new books, and to cover mailing expenses both ways of books sent to ministers in camp of the above denominations. Ministers of other denominations are encouraged to make use of our service also, but will be required to pay the postage on books sent to them.

It has been suggested to me that there might be an interest in current religious periodicals. If this is so, would you try to determine which ones are the most needed, and in answering this letter, list them in order of preference. Perhaps we may be able to subscribe to several from the above mentioned funds.

In informing me of books desired by the several ministers, you need only drop me a card, listing the author and title, and the name and denomination of the one making the request.

It is now only necessary to know whether you will accept this responsibility of representing both our library, and also the other ministers in your camp, so that we may be able to keep the Japanese ministers of California supplied with the very best current religious literature

With the best interests of serving you I am

Yours very sincerely,

Stillson Judah, Librarian.

October 6, 1942.

Rev. F. M. Hayashi
Minidoka Project
52-11-C Hunt, Idaho.

Dear Mr. Hayashi:

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Dr. Frank Herron Smith has given me your name as a minister who might be willing to represent our school in camp, to contact the other ministers there, and to determine what books they wish to read, what their reading needs are, etc. After you have informed me what is wanted I will send the books in your care. You will then be responsible in seeing that the books are distributed to the ones asking for them, and also for mailing them back to the library.

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~~With the interest of~~

In the interest of serving you better I remain

Yours very sincerely,

Stillson Judah, Librarian.

32-1-C, Minidoka WRA Project
Hunt, Idaho,
November 16, 1942.

Mr. Stillson Judah, Librarian,
Pacific School of Religion,
1798 Scenic Avenue,
Berkeley, California.

Dear Sir:

Under separate covers, I am sending you back those books you so kindly loaned to us. Those books were marked due today, November 16, but it was November 6 when we received them here, so we kept them until the day on which they are due. Is such an arrangement satisfactory to you?

I am enclosing 12¢ worth postage stamps which are from Bros. Fukuyama, Sakuma and Kodaira.

We are very grateful for your fine service, I am

Yours very sincerely,

Francis M. Hayashi

P.S. - The Rev. N. Kodaira has not
turned his book to me yet.
I shall return it as soon as
he does so. Will you kindly
extend his book a week?
F.M.H.

January 12, 1943.

Rev. Francis M. Hayashi
32-1-C Minidoka WRA Project
Hunt, Idaho.

Dear Mr. Hayashi:

I am sending off to you the following books to the ministers
in your camp who have requested them:

For Rev. Fukuyama Groves Christianity and the Family.
" " Machida MacFarland. A Digest of Christian Thinking.
" " Hayashi Buttrick. Prayer.

These books are lent for two weeks with permission to renew them
for an additional two weeks by dropping us a card to that effect.

I have just about taken care of all the requests made through you
in your letter of October 23 to me with the exception of books re-
quested by Sakuma, which have not as yet been available. Therefore,
if there are other requests for books after these are received, please
let me know.

I am also shipping off to you 2 boxes of books which will be semi-
permanent in your camp. After about three months or longer I shall
tell you where to send them, paying all postage. You will then re-
ceive another new collection from some other camp. In this way you
will have access to many religious books. Most of them will be of
older material, which will vary as to quality and age. We hope to
supplement these from time to time with new books which we shall
purchase for your use.

These books are being lent to the WRA camps all over the U.S. by
7 seminaries through us.

I do not know how you want to distribute the books or where you
will house them, but since you alone will be responsible for their
safekeeping I suggest that you have each person taking any of the
books to read, sign his name on a slip of paper, which can be de-
stroyed when the book is returned. Care must be taken that none are
lost, because we too are responsible not only for our own books but
for all the books lent by the other seminaries.

Please let me know if you have any questions, suggestions or requests.

Yours very sincerely,

*added PS Note
about the check-list
& its use etc.*

Stillson Judah, Librarian

January 22, 1943.

The Rev. F.M. Hayashi
32-11-C
Hunt, Idaho.

Dear Mr. Hayashi:

I am sending to the Rev. Sakuma in care of you, Stamm, IN THE SHADOW OF THE CROSS, which he had earlier requested, but which was out at the time. The book is lent for the customary two weeks, with renewal privileges of an additional two weeks if he makes the request by dropping us a card.

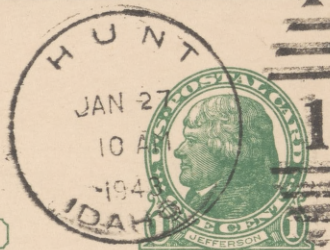
I believe I have about run out of requests for books from the ministers of your camp. I hope that the ministers will continue to send in requests for books which we shall supply from those lists I sent you. We want to give them all the very best literature available, and just as much as possible. If each minister would send in a list of all the books he would like to read on that list, I would send one book to each, and then another, etc., just as soon as the preceding volume is returned.

When I sent that large collection of books as your semi-permanent library, I do not believe I noted the amount of postage required. When you write me again will you please tell me the amount of stamps required?

Yours very sincerely,

Stillson Judah, Librarian.

Francis M. Hayashi
32-1-C, Minidoka Project
Hunt, Idaho



THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Mr. Stillson Judah, Librarian
The Charles Holbrook Library
Pacific School of Religion
1798 Scenic Avenue
Berkeley, California

January 25, 1943.

Dear Mr. Judah:

I have received your recent communications, the books for Bros. Machida, Fukuyama, and me, and those books which you told us to circulate for 3 months here. Thank you for all of them. May I ask extension of those three copies of books for two more weeks, ~~namely~~: A Digest of Christian Thinking by MacFarland (for Machida), Christianity and the Family by Groves, (for Fukuyama), and Prayer by Buttrick (for Hayashi)? The book for Bro. Sakuma came just this morning, and I shall deliver it ^{to him} tomorrow.

Thanking you for your many kindness, I am

Sincerely yours,

Francis M. Hayashi

32-1-C, Minidoka WRA Project,
Hunt, Idaho,
February 11, 1943.

Charles Holbrook Library,
Pacific School of Religion,
Berkeley, California.

Dear Sirs:

I am returning under separate cover books which we borrowed. I am very sorry that these books are few days overdue on account of my delay in calling them in. Please excuse me. I am also enclosing stamps to cover the postages for books borrowed by Messrs. Fukuyama and Sakuma. I believe they amount to 10¢. Mr. Sakuma told me that he sent the book to you directly few days ago.

The groups of books which you send us for 3 months' circulations are taken care of by our Federated Church office. The postages for the same were about \$1.50, I believe.

Thanking you for your kind service, I am

Yours very sincerely,

Francis M. Hayashi
Francis M. Hayashi.

February 25, 1943.

The Rev. F.M. Hayashi
Minidoka Project
Hunt, Idaho.

We have been fortunate in securing funds to purchase new books for the WRA camp libraries. These new books will be in part, current books, and in part, books selected from a large bibliography of books which represent what the professors of three theological seminaries consider the basic books in each field of the Christian religion. Thus other books both current and basic are being ordered for all the other camps, and each camp has its portion of books from this bibliography.

I have already placed the orders for the new books, and they will be sent directly from the publishers to you. They are

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all received.* { Calkins. How Jesus dealt with men.
Goodspeed. Introduction to the New Testament.
Sharpe. Walter Rauschenbusch.
Oesterley & Robinson. History of Israel. (2 V.)

If for any reason these books should not be received by you before time for the libraries are rotated to other camps, please let me know at that time.

When these books arrive please write plainly on the inside of the front cover "WRA Camp Library". These books are to be a part of your semi-permanent library, so print carefully the authors and titles of these on your check-list sheet.

Hoping that these books will give you and the other Japanese Christian ministers and church workers in your camp many hours of interesting and profitable reading I remain

Yours very sincerely,

Stillson Judah, Librarian.

2-2-E
WRA Project
Hunt, Idaho

March 9, 1943

Mr. Stillson Judah
P. S. R. Librarian
1798 Scenic Avenue,
Berkeley, California

Dear Mr. Judah :

Thank you very much for Augustin's book for a long time. At last, during this very busy time, I read the whole book and now begin to type. Therefore, within one week, I will send it to you. May I ask one more impossible demand ? If you could borrow Augustin's book, I would like to read "the City of God". I am very much inspired by his deep theological insight.

My main study is Calvin, Thomas Aquinas and Augustin, Beside them, I am reading some contemporary books systematically. In fact, I feel the existence of St. Augustin is of great importance for a theological student.

Two days ago, one lady visited my place. Her husband is now interned at Lordsburg in New Mexico. She got a letter from his husband, ... the letter, which indicates her husband wants to read some books on the life of Jesus. I am very astonished at his change after he went to New Mexico. For he was an atheist, and did not realize anything about religion. His business was a president of the most influential Japanese papers in the West Coast. But as you know, I have no books now about the life of Christ, and cannot buy them for him. Therefore if P.S. R. Library could lend some books to him, I am glad to pay his postage, for I think he cannot pay it.

The address is :

Mr. Sumio Arima
46 - J - 459 - C I -
Lordsburg, Interment Camp
Box 20, General Office, Post Office,
New York City, N. Y.

My best regards to all faculty members and students.

Very sincerely yours,

Nao Kodaira
Nao Kodaira

March 12, 1943.

The Rev. T.J. Machida
16-6-C,
Hunt, Idaho.

Dear Mr. Machica:

Have just mailed to you today two boxes of hymnals for your use in your camp. These hymnals were donated by the Rev. Carl Schmidt for your use.

Yours very sincerely,

Stillson Judah, Librarian.

↳ 4 hymnals in
2 boxes.

March 15, 1943.

The Rev. Nao Kodaira
2-2-E
WRA Project
Hunt, Idaho.

Dear Mr. Kodaira:

At your request I am sending Augustine. City of God.

In regard to books for Mr. Sumio Arima I should like very much to lend him some books on Jesus, but at this moment Dr. McCown is giving a course on the life of Jesus, and every book now available in the library is being used by his classes. However, there are several books on Jesus in your semi-permanent library there which I sent some time ago. You might look over these books, and if there is some book there which you feel might be a help to him, and is not in use in the camp at the present time, I suggest that you see Mr. Hayashi about sending it to Mr. Arima for a short time. When the libraries rotate, there will be new books on Jesus, and you may find something there to send to him. It grieves me greatly that I am not able to send him something myself, but I hope that through the books in the library there you may be able to help him.

Yours very sincerely,

Stillson Judah, Librarian.

March 25, 1943

Rev. Thomas J. Machida
16-6-C Minidoka W.R.A. Project
Hunt, Idaho

Dear Mr. Machida:

I am very pleased to hear that the Methodist hymnals which we sent to you arrived safely.

In regard to your query concerning the Reverend Carl Schmidt, he may or may not be the same person you knew in your church in North Sacramento. The only information I have concerning him is that he is now residing at 2145 South Broadway, Turlock, California. He was formerly with the Methodist Church in Reno, Nevada.

Yours very sincerely,

Stillson Judah

SJ/d

CATHERINE P. BLAIN HOME
318 - 11TH AVE.,
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON
PHONE EAST 7158

SEATTLE JAPANESE METHODIST CHURCH

T. J. MACHIDA, MINISTER
1236 WASHINGTON STREET
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON
PHONE PROSPECT 1574

MANSE:
1311 E. SPRUCE ST.,
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON
PHONE PROSPECT 0858

Hunt, Idaho.
March 22, 1943.

Mr. Stillson Judah, Librarian
Pacific School of Religion,
Berkeley, California.

Dear Sir:-

The Methodist Hymnals, 34 of them in two packages which you so kindly sent for the use of our camp meetings came to my hand the day before yesterday and thank you very much for them. The donor, Rev. Carl Schmidt might be the same parson who was serving in North Sacramento Epworth M. E. Church when I was also serving Sac'to Japanese Church some fifteen years ago, if so I would like to know his present pastorate.

I wish to thank you also for the books I loaned from your library and these contemporary books stimulate us a great deal of enthusiasm for our christian faith in the camp life at the Southern part of Idaho. I hope you will do us a favour again in the future.

Kindly convey our gratefulness to Rev. Schmidt.

With best respect,

*Frederick Carl Schmidt, Rev. Mr.
Formerly: Mth. Church*
Thomas Machida

Pastor

16 - 6 - C,
Minidoka W.R.A. Project,
Hunt, Idaho.

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2145
So. Broadway
Inland, Calif.*

Francis M. Hayashi
32-1-C, Minidoka Project
Hunt, Idaho

THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS



Holbrook Loan Library
Pacific School of Religion
1798 Scenic Avenue
Berkeley, California

April 3, 1843.

Dear Sirs:

I have received the following books from the Methodist Publishing house and placed in our church library for circulations after marking them as WRA Camp Library Books:

Calkins: How Jesus dealt with men
Goodspeed: Introduction to the New Testament
Sharpe: Walter Rauschenbusch
Oesterley and Robinson: History of Israel (2 vol.).
Thanking you for your deep interests in our cause,

I am

Sincerely yours,

Francis M. Hayashi

32-1-C, Minidoka Project,
Hunt, Idaho,
June 20, 1943.

Rev. M. J. Kitagawa

Mr. Stillson Judah,
The Charles Holbrook Library,
Pacific Schhol of Religion,
1798 Scenic Avenue,
Berkeley, California.

Dear Mr. Judah:

I regret very much that I have not written much earlier than this. I have been thinking and consulting with other ministers concerning the list books wnatated among our men on this Project. If this is not too late for the same, I shall list them for your information as follows:

George Washington Carver, by Rackham Holt, \$3.50 Doubleday, 1943
Christian Symbolism by Thomas A. Stafford, \$2.00 Abingdon-Cokesbury, 1943
New Testament Studies, edited by Edwin P. Booth, \$2.50 Abingdon Cokesbury, 1942
Philosophy of Missions, by Soper, \$2.00? 2:50 Abingdon-Colcesbury, 1943
A Realistic Philosophy of Religion by A. Campbell Garnett, \$3.00 Willett, 1942
Etc. *Dayglaz. The Role. Hampton 42. 2.75*
Also add Blackwood. Preaching from the Bible. Abingdon-Cokesbury, 41, \$2.00
in art of public works. Cokesbury, 39-2.00

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A.W.*

By the end of this month, I am going to be relocated in Minneapolis, Minn., and I have asked our church office to look after your books which we have here. Rev. Everett Thompson, a Methodist minister and a returned missionary, is our executive secretary, and you may write to him, c/o Federated Christian Church, 22-1-C, Hunt, Idaho. Among our Japanese pastors, Rev. N. Kodaira is your graduate, and he ^{can be} is also reached at the church office.

Thanking you for your many kindness, and with my good wishes,
I remain

Yours very sincerely,

Francis M. Hayashi
Francis M. Hayashi.

FEDERATED CHRISTIAN CHURCH

23-5-C HUNT, IDAHO

MINISTERS

Emery A. Andrews	Naomichi Kodaira
Tsutomu Fukuyama	Thomas J. Machida
Shozo Hashimoto	Kenneth W. Nakajo
Francis M. Hayashi	Henry T. Sakuma
Joseph M. Kitagawa	Gennosuke Shoji
Everett W. Thompson	



CONSTITUENT CHURCHES

BAPTIST	Seattle
CONGREGATIONAL	Seattle
EPISCOPAL	Portland, Seattle
HOLINESS	Seattle
METHODIST	Portland, Seattle
PRESBYTERIAN	Seattle

June 21, 1943

Mr. Stillson Judah
1798 Scenic Avenue
Berkeley, California

To Rev. Mr. Kitagawa

Dear Mr. Judah:

Thank you very much for the letter you gave me
May 17.

If you have some amount to but the books, which
will be used for the Japanese pastors, I would like to
suggest some books as follows:

Harper, 1942	Walter M. Horton	:	Our (Contemporary Eternal)	\$ 2.50
" 1943	Walter R. Bowie	:	Which Way Ahead?	\$ 1.75
Harper, 1942	Adolph Keller	:	Christian Europe Today	\$ 3.00
Scribner, 1942	John Baillie	:	Invitation to Pilgrimage	\$ 1.50
Abingdon-Cokesbury 1942	Edgar S. Brightman	:	The Spiritual Life	\$ 2.00
presbyterian 1942	Edwin Lewis	:	The Practice of the Christian Life	\$ 1.00
Macmillan, 1941	D. R. Sharpe	:	Walter Rauschenbisch	\$ 2.75
Macmillan, 1942	William Temple	:	The Hope of a new World	\$ 1.35
Abingdon-Cokesbury, 1942	Leslie D. Weatherhead	:	Personalities of the Passion	\$ 1.50
Willet, 1941	John Knox	:	The Man Christ Jesus	\$ 1.00
Willet, 1941	Walter W. Van Kirk	:	Religion and the World of Tomorrow	\$ 1.50
Abingdon-Cokesbury 1942	George A. Buttrick	:	Prayer	\$ 2.75

Please extend my best regards to Dr. McGiffert, Dr. McCown,
Dr. Muilenburg, Dr. Bennet, and Dr. Tolson.

Sincerely yours,

Nao Kodaira

Nao Kodaira

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September 22, 1943.

The Rev. M.J. Kitagawa
23-5-C, Minidoka Relocation Project
Hunt, Idaho.

Dear Mr. Kitagawa:

I am sure that you are familiar with the collection of books which we have sent to your camp for the use of the ministers and church workers in the camp. Since ~~the~~ Rev. Francis Hayashi, who had been our representative in your camp, has been relocated, the Rev. Gordon Chapman has suggested that I write to you in regard to being our new representative. If you should be too busy to undertake this responsibility, would you please turn this letter and the instructions over to some one who would be able to handle it?

This position requires only that the representative should act as a contact between our library and the ministers and Christians members of your camp, should take the responsibility of discovering the needs and desires in the way of books, should be responsible in seeing that books are not lost, and finally that the books are sent to another camp when such instructions come from this library.

It is now our plan to rotate
~~It is now our plan to rotate~~ all of the collections in the twelve W.R.A. camps. Since we do not have funds to defray the postage we are asking the cooperation of each camp to take care of this cost amounting to about \$1.50 to \$2.00.

We are having the very fine collection at Tule Lake sent to you, and we ask you to pack and send your collection to

Rev. Masamoto Nishimura
12-12-E, Topaz, Utah.

Please check the books with the check-list of books which should be found in the camp library, and mail the list along with the books, so that the recipient of the collection will know what books are expected to be in the collection. You in turn should receive such a list with the collection arriving from Tule Lake.

I am ordering today the following books for your camp library, books which Mr. Hayashi stated in his last letter represented the requests of the ministers of your camp:

rec'd — Holt. George Washington Carver.
n — Stafford. Christian Symbolism.
n — Booth. New Testament Studies.
rec'd — Soper. Philosophy of Christian Missions.
n — Garnett. A realistic Philosophy of Religion.

rec 5 — Blackwood. Preaching from the Bible.
" . The fine art of public worship.
Douglas. The Robe.

When the books arrive they should have "W.R.A. Camp Library" printed carefully on the inside of the front cover, and notification of their receipt made to this library.

Thanking you for any trouble you may take in our behalf, and hoping to hear from either you or ^{someone} ~~someone~~ as capable of being our representative I remain

Yours very sincerely,

Stillson Judah, Librarian.

September 24, 1943.

The Rev. M.J. Kitagawa
23-5-C
Minidoka Relocation Project
Hunt, Idaho.

Dear Mr. Kitagawa:

I should like to add an addenda to the list of books we are ordering for your camp library. This list was submitted by the Rev. Nao Kodaira.

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Horton. Our eternal contemporary.
Bowie. Which way ahead?
Keller. Christian Europe today.
Baillie. Invitation to pilgrimage.
Brightman. The spiritual life.
Lewis. The practice of the Christian life.
Sharpe. Walter Rauschenbusch.
Temple. The hope of a new world.
Weatherhead. Personalities of the passion.
Knox. The man Christ Jesus.
Van Kirk. Religion and the world of tomorrow.
Buttrick. Prayer.

When the books arrive please have "W.R.A. Camp Library" written inside of the front cover, and please have the authors and titles of all books marked down on your check-list, so that you will have a complete list of the books which have been sent, either by this library, or under its direction. This is necessary in order that all of this collection will rotate to another library at the proper time, and only these books.

Yours very sincerely,

Stillson Judah, Librarian.

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October 6, 1943

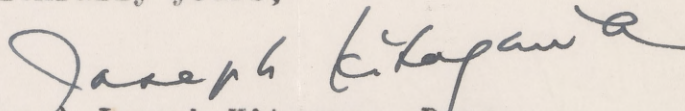
Mr. Stillson Judah, Librarian
Pacific School of Religion
1798 Scenic Avenue
Berkeley, California

Dear Mr. Judah:

Thank you for your letter of September 22 and 24. I will do my best to take care of the things Reverend Francis Hayashi had left here. I understand we are supposed to pay the postage to send the books to rotate. Am I correct? I will see that the circular collection is sent to Reverend Masamoto Nishimura of Topaz, Utah, as you instructed me, also the check list along with the books. We are expecting some books from Tule Lake before long. Thank you for the books which you had ordered at the request of The Reverend Francis Hayashi and Reverend Nao Kodaira.

With every good wish, I remain

Faithfully yours,


(Rev.) Joseph Kitagawa, Pres.
Minidoka Federated Christian Church

December 13, 1943

Rev. M. J. Kitagawa
23-5-C
Minidoka Relocation Project
Hunt, Idaho

Dear Mr. Kitagawa:

I trust that by now you have received the books to be forwarded to you from Tule Lake and the new books ordered especially for your camp.

We now have in hand a limited amount of money for the purchase of additional books for the various camps. Will you please consult with the other clergymen and Christian workers in the camp and make up a list of books you would like to have made available. We will get them for you as soon as possible.

When you write will you please let me know if the transfer of books was completed successfully. If you have any suggestions as to how this might be more easily handled in the future I should be glad to receive them.

Yours sincerely,

Stillson Judah
Librarian

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UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY
Broadway at 120th Street
New York 27, New York

December 16, 1943.

List of books which were among sixty-four sent to the Rev. S. Tanabe, 2816-C, Tule Lake Project, Newell, California, for use in WRA camps, but not received by Federated Christian Church, 23-5-C, Hunt, Idaho, when the lot was received by them.

Angus	Essential Christianity
Bell	The sower
DelaBedoyere	Christian Crisis
Ellis	Pilgrim Fare
Fosdick	Adventurous religion
Grant, F.C.	Frontiers of Christian thinking
Kent	The origin and permanent value of Old Testament
Laird	Theism and Cosmology
Lyman	The experience of God in modern life
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Moffatt	The approach to the New Testament
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Slattery	Thy kingdom come ... but not now
Swete	Essays on some Biblical question of the Day.(Cambridge Biblical Essays)
Trueblood	The logic of belief
Wright	Students' philosophy of religion

UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

BROADWAY AT 120TH STREET

NEW YORK 27

December 17, 1943

Mr. Stillson Judah, Librarian
Pacific School of Religion
1798 Scenic Avenue
Berkeley, California

My dear Mr. Judah:

We have just received a letter from the "Federated Christian Church" of Hunt, Idaho, thanking us most earnestly for a lot of books received by them from Tule Lake, sent "for their church library". The letter sounds as if they consider the lot as a gift to them, and not a loan. Will you please let me know if this is another Japanese Internment Camp, which knows the books are on loan only?

The secretary of the church, Miss Michi Tsuchima, very carefully listed the books which came into their possession. The list shows that 18 books of the original 64 we sent are missing. These may still be at Tule Lake, and again they may be lost. Will you please try to trace them? I am enclosing a list of the missing 18 books.

If you want these books to continue to travel from one Camp to another we are still perfectly willing, but I am a bit puzzled by the letter from Miss Tsushima.

Very sincerely yours,

Lucy W. Markley

Lucy W. Markley
Librarian

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Answered this.
11/13/44
Sg.

December 23, 1943

Rev. M. J. Kitagawa
23-5-C
Minidoka Relocation Project
Hunt, Idaho

Dear Mr. Kitagawa:

I have just received a letter from the librarian at Union Theological Seminary stating that of the 64 books loaned to the Tule Lake camp only 46 volumes were received by you. As these books are to be returned to Union when there is no longer any need for them in the camps, I wish to locate the missing volumes as soon as possible. I have written to Chaplain Wahlquist at Tule Lake asking him to look for them. Will you please check again to make sure they were not forwarded to you. In case you did not receive the check list I am giving the titles of the missing books below.

Angus	Essential Christianity
Bell	The sower
DelaBedoyere	Christian crisis
Ellis	Pilgrim fare
Fosdick	Adventurous religion
Grant, F.C.	Frontiers of Christian thinking
Kent	The origin and permanent value of the Old Testament
Laird	Theism and Cosmology
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Wright	Student's philosophy of religion

Three books were ordered from the publishers to supplement the collection. They were, Wieman, Modern Family and the church; Streeter, The primitive church; Garnett, Realistic philosophy of religion.

I would appreciate it greatly if you would let me know as soon as possible if you received any of these.

Best wishes for a happy New Year.

Yours sincerely,

Stillson Judah
Librarian

JSJ:mh

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HOLINESS	Seattle
METHODIST	Tacoma, Seattle
	Hood River, Portland
PRESBYTERIAN	Seattle

January 3, 1944

Mr. Stillson Judah, Librarian
Pacific School of Religion
1778 Scenic Avenue
Berkeley, 4, California

Dear Mr. Stillson Judah:

Thank you for your letter of December 13. I received some books from Tule Lake but I do not know whether they are books to be forwarded. Majority of the books have the names of the Union Theological School Library which apparently were donated to Tule Lake. There are many things to be straightened with Tule Lake. However, I will check up with my brother who is so hard to contact these days. As soon as I hear definitely about these things you will be notified.

We have very few ministers now but I will have each of them make a list of books which they would like to read and turn in the list to you.

Faithfully yours,

Joseph Kitagawa
(Rev.) Joseph Kitagawa, Pres.
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January 11, 1944

Mr. Stillson Judah
Librarian
Pacific School of Religion
Berkeley, California

Dear Mr. Judah:

Yesterday Rev. Kitagawa brought in ten books for the church library which he said were given to us by your school. We wish to thank you for these splendid additions to our library.

Already several of the books have been checked out, and you may be sure that they will be enjoyed by many people. I am enclosing a list of the books which were received.

Thank you again for your interest.

Sincerely yours,

Michi Tsushima

Michi Tsushima
Secretary

Enclosure

✓ PERSONALITIES OF THE PASSION	Leslie D. Weatherhead
✓ PREACHING FROM THE BIBLE	Andrea W. Blackwood
✓ THE SPIRITUAL LIFE	E. S. Brightman
✓ INVITATION TO PILGRIMAGE	John Baillie
✓ CHRISTIAN SYMBOLISM	T. A. Stafford
✓ THE PHILOSOPHY OF THE CHRISTIAN WORLD MISSION	Edmund D. Soper
✓ NEW TESTAMENT STUDIES	Edwin Prince Booth
✓ THE MAN CHRIST JESUS	John Knox
✓ RELIGION AND THE WORLD OF TOMORROW	Walter W. VanKirk
✓ A REALISTIC PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION	A. Campbell Garnett

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Joseph M. Kitagawa	Gennosuke Shoji
Everett W. Thompson	



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METHODIST	Portland, Seattle
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January 18, 1944

Mr. Stillson Judah
Pacific School of Religion
1798 Scenic Avenue
Berkeley, California

Dear Sir:

I have asked the Secretary of the Federated Christian Church to send you the names of the new books we had received and also send you the names of the books belonging to the Union Theological Seminary which have arrived. So far we have not received the following books:

New Bible Evidence	Marston
Thy kingdom come...	
but not now	Slattery
The logic of belief	Trueblood

With every good wish, I am

Faithfully yours,

Joseph Kitagawa
(Rev.) Joseph Kitagawa, Pres.
Minidoka Federated Christian Church

UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY
BROADWAY AT 120TH STREET
NEW YORK

January 21, 1944

Dr. Stillson Judah
Pacific School of Religion
1798 Scenic Avenue
Berkeley, California

My dear Dr. Judah:

Just as your letter of the 13th arrived we received another letter from the Federated Christian Church of Hunt, Iowa, acknowledging the second shipment of books. This list accounts for all the books we sent but three. I would not be at all surprised to lose three books in the process.

Their letter is phrased exactly like the first one. It may be a mistake, but the secretary seems to think the books are a gift to that church. Perhaps she does not mean it that way and uses English differently than we do. I hope you will be able to straighten it out.

As for your Inter-library Loan request, I am turning it over to Mrs. Foster, who will answer you directly.

Very sincerely yours,

Lucy W. Markley

Lucy W. Markley
Librarian

lwm:vep

February 8, 1944

Rev. M. J. Kitagawa
23-5-C
Minidoka Relocation Project
Hunt, Idaho

Dear Mr. Kitagawa:

I am glad to hear that you have finally got most of the books in the loan collection placed at Tule Lake. It may be that the other three will turn up later.

Have the ministers made up their lists of books they wish purchased? I would like to get the orders in as soon as possible. If you would give me an idea of the type of book most valuable perhaps I could make the selection.

There seems to have been a good deal of confusion in the camps as to the handling of the loan collections. Have you had any trouble about keeping track of the books? You understand, of course, that they are lent with the understanding that they return to their owners when the need is over.

I am checking on all the collections at this time and would appreciate it if you would fill out the enclosed card and return it to me.

Thanking you for your cooperation, I am

Yours sincerely,

Stillson Judah
Librarian

JSJ:zh

P.S. We have just had a card from Union Theological Seminary asking for the return of one of the books in the collection you now have. You and the Ten Commandments by Cameron is needed at the Seminary. Will you please send it to

Union Theological Seminary Library
Broadway at 120th Street
New York City, New York

7 April 1944

Rev. M. J. Kitagawa
23-5-C
Minidoka Relocation Project
Hunt, Idaho

Dear Rev. Kitagawa:

I have just taken over Mr. Judah's duties for the duration, and I am trying to learn the status of the libraries at each camp as quickly as possible, when I can snatch a few moments from my other duties.

Mr. Judah wrote to you asking you to return a book which should be in the collection you now have, and I have just had another note saying that it has not been received. This title is You and the ten commandments by Cameron. Another title, Jesus and his Bible by Gilbert is also wanted. Will you please send these two volumes to Union Theological Seminary Library, Broadway at 120th Street, New York City? They are the owners of these volumes.

Will you let me know whether Mr. Kodaira has vol. 2 of Nicene and post Nicene Fathers, which belongs to one of the faculty.

Very sincerely yours,

15 April 1944

Rev. M. J. Kitagawa
23-5-C
Minidoka Relocation Project
Hunt, Idaho

Dear Rev. Kitagawa:

The Union Theological Seminary writes that it needs another
of the books in your collection:

Robbins- Preaching the gospel

Would you kindly send this along with the two other titles
to the Union Theological Seminary Library as soon as possible?
I am enclosing a mailing label for your convenience.

Very sincerely yours,

Dorothy Felter, Librarian

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April 24, 1944

*Answer
4/28*

Miss Dorothy Felter, Librarian
Pacific School of Religion
Berkeley, California

Dear Miss Felter:

As to the books from Union Theological Seminary I'm having more trouble than you are encountering. Half of the things which were sent from Tule Lake haven't arrived and yet I can see the viewpoint of the Union Theological Seminary. I wonder if you can't advise them to buy those two lost books and forward the invoice directly to us. We are far happier to pay for them than to be worried over them all the time.

If you can inform me in this regards, I will appreciate it very much.

Faithfully yours,

Joseph Kitagawa

(Rev.) Joseph Kitagawa, Pres.
Minidoka Federated Christian Church

P.S. As to the Volume 2 of Nicene & Post Nicene Fathers, the Reverend Nao Kodaira is keeping it.

5 May 1944

Rev. M. J. Kitagawa, 23-5-C
Minidoka Relocation Project,
Hunt, Idaho

Dear Rev. Kitagawa:

This letter is to announce that the next rotation of WRA camp libraries sponsored by the theological schools, will take place about the first of June. If the person in charge of your collection follows the instructions that I shall give in this letter, I think the exchange can be made without any difficulty.

The instructions for the exchange are as follows: Gather up all the books in your collection, check them with the list which covers that collection, indicating which titles are missing, box them, and have them ready to ship on the first of June. When you are checking these books against the list (you may have to make a list if you do not have one), please watch for the three titles which are wanted by the Union Theological Seminary, and send them to Union if you find them.

Send your collection on or about the first of June to Topaz, Utah. The address is: Rev. Masamota Nishimura, 12-12-E, Topaz, Utah. I am enclosing two mailing labels. Please forward your list of the books in that collection to them also.

You will receive a collection of books from Heart Mountain. I do not have a duplicate list of the books which they will send you. However, they should forward a list at the time the books are sent. You need do nothing in regard to the books that are to be sent to you. I shall make all the necessary arrangements.

Very sincerely yours,

Dorothy Felter, Librarian

Minidoka Federated
Christian Church
22-1-CD
Hunt, Idaho

THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS



Miss Dorothy Felter, Librarian
Pacific School of Religion
1798 Scenic Avenue
Berkeley, California

May 9, 1944

Dear Miss Felter:

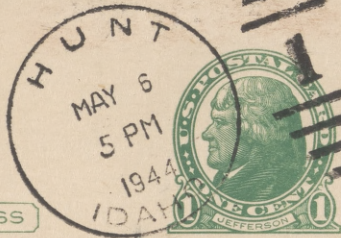
Your letter of May 5 is on hand. We shall do exactly as to your instruction and mail the books to Reverend Masamoto Nishimura.

As in my previous letter, the three titles which the Union Theological Seminary is in need has been returned to them.

We shall be looking forward to the books from Heart Mountain.

Sincerely,
(Rev.) Joseph Kitagawa

THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS



Miss Dorothy Felter, Librarian
Pacific School of Religion Library
1798 Scenic Avenue
Berkeley, California

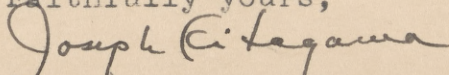
May 4, 1944

Dear Miss Felter:

After a thorough checkup of all books in the library we were finally able to locate the three books (i.e. Robbins, Cameron, Gilber). I am sending them directly to the Union Theological Seminary.

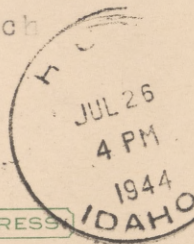
I am very sorry for all the trouble we have caused you.

Faithfully yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joseph Kitagawa". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

(Rev.) Joseph Kitagawa, Pres.
Minidoka Federated Christian Church

Federated Christian Church
22-1-C
Hunt, Idaho



THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Pacific School of Religion
Berkeley, Calif.

July 25, 1944

Dear Sir:

We wish to acknowledge that two boxes of books that was sent to us from your church have arrived. They will be placed on the self of our library for the use of all individuals. Thank you kindly for sending to us such good materials.

Sincerely yours,
Akira Makino.

P.S. Have sent same copy to Heart Mountain.

REPLY CARD.
THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Library
Pacific School of Religion
1798 Scenic Ave.
Berkeley 4, Calif.



May 12, 1945 1945

Dear Miss Felter:

- 1) When do you anticipate that your camp will close?

December 31, 1945

- 2) Would you like to keep the same book collection that you now have, or would you prefer to have a new one sent?

Yes

- 3) Have you any comments or suggestions to make regarding the book collections we have sent?

Minidoka camp